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STATUS

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.

is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3.	The proceed apply.	ngs herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136							
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)								
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.12 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked by								
		Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)					
		first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00					
		second month	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00					
		third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00					
		fourth month	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00					
		fifth month	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00					
			Fee:	\$					
If	an additional o	litional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.							
		(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)							
	<u>.</u>	An extension of mon therefor \$ is deducted of extension now requested.	from the total fee due t						
	Extension fee due with this request \$								
		OR							
		Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.							

FEE FOR CLAIMS

	CL		(Col. 1)			SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL. RATE FEE			
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		OR	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE	
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5.	Attached is a check in the sum of \$								
	\boxtimes	Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$200.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.							
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